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## LATEST FROM CUBA.

**Insurgents Overrunning the Province of Matanzas.**

### HAVING THINGS THEIR OWN WAY.

**An Uninterrupted Line of Communication Clear Across the Province and Into the Southern Part of Santa Clara to the East of Cienfuegos—A Few Skirmishes Reported but of No Consequence.**

HAVANA, Dec. 31.—News has been received here of movements by the insurgents which would indicate that their forces still overrun pretty much the whole of the province of Matanzas, and they seem to have an uninterrupted line of communication clear across the province and into the southern part of Santa Clara to the eastward of Cienfuegos. They have burned the village Gavilan in the Cienfuegos district, southeast of Cienfuegos, near the coast.

The station at Caobas and Cabazas, which are in the neighborhood of Matanzas and to the south, have been burned as well as the cane field of the Joaquin plantations. Some stores have also been plundered. Camarioca is the farthest point north at which the insurgents have been reported, and Cabazas is almost on the line of the province of Havana.

No further reports can be had of the engagement near Calimete, as telegraphic communication is still much interrupted. It is believed that the operations being conducted by the insurgents in Matanzas are much more extensive than they have yet been reported.

Word has been received from General Valdez, saying he overtook the insurgent bands of Gomez and Maceo at the Maria plantation where they were found standing in an advantageous position. The engagement which followed was evidently a hot one, the insurgent cavalry making vigorous attacks upon the flanks of the Spanish troops. The artillery fire of the Spanish proved effective and the official report which is now received says that the insurgents took flight in two directions having been divided by the assault upon them. They left seven killed and many arms, and carried away many wounded.

It is reported that the Spanish forces went in pursuit of the flying insurgents and overtook them at the Caney plantation. Here the enemy made a vigorous resistance for an hour, but were finally compelled to retreat, leaving eight killed and carrying away the wounded. The troops, it is said, lost 17 wounded.

It is further reported that an engagement is now in progress at a point between the villages of Terico, Cuevitos and Jovellanos, between General Valdez and the insurgent forces.

In spite of the official report the belief is entertained here that the Spanish forces have again sustained a serious reverse, and that instead of the insurgents being repulsed and routed, the Spaniards are retreating before their advance. There are manifestations of grave uneasiness in official circles, and the belief is prevalent that the insurgents intend another extensive excursion into Matanzas province and westward toward Havana.

At Espanola the insurgents have burned the house of a man named Realongos and have killed the inhabitants and have also burned the schoolhouse and two stores.

It is reported that the insurgents have hanged two brothers named Antonio and Carlos Casola, in Puerto Principe.

### Filibusterers Arrested.

TAMPA, Fla., Dec. 31.—Six Cubans, who were in a small sloop, were arrested yesterday near the mouth of the Hillsboro river charged with the theft of the boat. They were taken before the county authorities, but were later released. After the departure of the officers 18 Cubans escaped from the hold of the sloop. These men are a party of filibusterers, but they moved without orders.

The schooner J. W. Foster, long suspected of filibustering and once arrested in the north, lies down the bay. It is presumed Cubans intended boarding her for Cuba.

### Affairs in Venezuela.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—A dispatch to The Herald from Caracas, Venezuela, says: The government has made several important political arrests, including among others, Martin Perez, a brother-in-law of Matos, the ex-finance minister, and once engaged in a revolution against President Crespo.

The cabinet has been called to discuss an important note from the Venezuelan minister at Washington.

### Church Property Burned.

ALEXANDRIA, La., Dec. 31.—St. Francis Xavier's Catholic church and the pastoral residence of Rev. Father Menard, including his valuable library were destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss, \$15,000; insurance, \$5,000. Three mercantile houses at Boyce, Johnson & Heinrich, Jackson & Williams and J. M. Grisson were destroyed by fire. Loss, \$10,000; insurance light.

### Fire in Newark.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 31.—Fire broke out late last night and destroyed the Kinney building. The building was occupied by the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies and the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western and the Erie railroad companies, New York and Greenwood Lake Railroad company; Hayworth, Engle Clark, clothiers

### RAILROAD COLLISION.

**Two Passenger Trains Run Together in a Cincinnati Suburb.**

CINCINNATI, Dec. 31.—A collision occurred last night on the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern railroad just within the western limits of this city in which two men were killed and seven others badly hurt.

The dead are: Fireman Wilson of the Louisville express.

An unknown man buried under the wreck.

The injured are: Fireman Hiram Bruning of the St. Louis train, bruises and cuts on leg, skull and shoulder; very dangerously.

Jacob Bower of the big cooper shop in Lawrenceburg, Ind., hip dislocated, leg, arm and head cut and bruises.

Alouzo Pruett, engineer of the Louisville express, internal injuries, left arm badly cut and gashed.

James Gabriel, engineer of the St. Louis train, back and side injured. He was taken to his brother's home in Cleves, O.

Fred Binekamp of Aurora, Ind., a passenger, severe scalp wounds.

T. M. Voight, express messenger on the St. Louis train, internal injuries, besides bad cuts and bruises. He called deliriously for his wife. He was left at Coal City.

Express Messenger Eisenborn of the Louisville express, very slightly; able to come home.

Of the injured all are very seriously hurt except Binekamp and Eisenborn. It is feared that Bruning, Bower and Pruett are fatally hurt.

A special train arrived at midnight with the injured and they were at once taken to the Betts street hospital where complete arrangements for the care of them had been made.

The cause of the accident was the failure of the operator at Storrs station, within the city limits, to report to the Louisville train an order to wait at Delhi and let the St. Louis train pass it there.

The trains when they sighted each other, a mile this side of Coal City, were going at full speed and had but little time to slow up before the collision. The road is comparatively straight at this point, otherwise the casualty would have been terrific.

The injury to passengers, others than those named, was very slight.

The regular operator at Storrs station is away on a short holiday vacation this week and the mistake in orders was made by a substitute, whose name can not be learned. Storrs is between Cincinnati and Coal City. If the Storrs operator had stopped the outgoing train for orders the trains would have passed safely at Delhi.

### LYNCHERS FOILED.

**A Negro Escapes From a Mob After Being Strung Up.**

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 31.—For several weeks past, a big burly negro has been stealing all sorts of things from the butchers and hucksters at the Union market house, but he always escaped arrest, and the tenants of the market became exasperated over their losses. Yesterday morning the negro was caught while carrying off two horse blankets and the cry of "lynch him" went up. A crowd of angry men seized him, bound his wrists, put a rope around his neck and strung him up by a block and tackle hanging in the market house.

But the negro was a fellow of great nerve and while his tongue was protruding from his mouth and eyes were bulging from their sockets he made a violent struggle, broke the cord which bound his arms and before the mob realized what he was doing, he whipped a big knife from his pocket, cut the rope, dropped to the ground and ran like a deer. He was chased and overtaken by the mob, but he turned with his big knife and showed such desperate fight that the crowd halted and wavered, and the negro escaped up an alley.

### Minister Peak Starts For Switzerland.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 31.—John L. Peak, United States minister to Switzerland, received his commission from Washington yesterday and left with his wife and three daughters on a Missouri Pacific train for Georgetown, Ky., their future home. They will stay a week or 10 days in Georgetown and then go to Washington and from there to New York. Mr. Peak and his family will sail from New York Jan. 22. Minister Peak will be joined in New York by W. R. Hereford, who will go to Switzerland with him as his private secretary.

### Three Children Burned to Death.

AKRON, Ala., Dec. 31.—William Atkins and wife, who went to church Sunday night, leaving their three children, aged 10, 7 and 5 years respectively, at home in bed, and returning at midnight, found the house in flames and heard the cries of their children. They were powerless to save the little ones and all three were horribly cremated. An explosion of the lamp is supposed to have caused the fire.

### One Thousand Head of Cattle Drowned.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Dec. 31.—O. Hayden, who has immense pastures along Grand river, reports having had over 400 head of cattle drowned by the floods of the past week, and says Jack Riley lost 200 head and Joel Bryan as many more, and others small numbers, and it is believed that fully 1,000 head or more perished in the Osage reservation.

### Boys Fight Over a Five-Cent Toy.

KNOXVILLE, Dec. 31.—Orville Huskinson, white, aged 14, and Frank Hopkins, colored, 18, fought here over a 5-cent toy, and the negro was shot to death.

## HOW THEY ARE DOING

**Some of Them Not as Well as They Should.**

### REPORT FROM AUDITOR POE.

**A Statement of the Local Indebtedness of the Counties, Townships, Villages and Cities of the State—Big Furnace to Start Up—A Man Killed by Drinking Whisky. Other Ohio State News.**

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 31.—State Auditor Poe has compiled a statement of the local indebtedness of the counties, townships, villages and cities of the state, which shows that the total indebtedness of the counties is \$12,480,319.33; of the cities, \$72,397,029.66; of the villages, \$6,436,741.88; of the townships, \$959,662.35; of the special school districts, \$6,100,507.99.

The increase indebtedness of counties over that of 1894 is \$1,351,159.83, and of that of cities \$2,647,816.11.

There has been a decrease in the debts of the villages of \$1,616,716.81, and in that of townships of \$177,160.181.

### Troops Dying Around Zeitoun.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—A dispatch to The Daily News from Constantinople says: There are 50 or 60 deaths daily among troops around Zeitoun. The cold is intense and the condition of the army everywhere outside the capital is in the last degree deplorable, their clothing being in rags and their food poor. Their ranks are decimated by disease and by wholesale desertions, owing to the non-receipt of their pay.

### Big Furnace to Start Up.

IRONTON, O., Dec. 31.—The Etina Coal and Iron company will operate the Big Turn furnace in this city, known as Big Etina, and the contract for remodeling it has been awarded to James P. Witherow of Pittsburgh. The work will begin at once, and be completed within 90 days. The furnace will have an output of 600 tons of Bessemer pig daily and will employ 500 men besides miners and ore diggers.

### Railroad Retaliating.

LIMA, O., Dec. 31.—Surveyors are now at work on a line which is said to be intended to parallel the Lake Erie and Western railroad. The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton company is back of the project, and it is said to be prompted by a desire to retaliate for the paralleling of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton by Senator Brice, the president of the Lake Erie and Western.

### Killed by Whisky.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Dec. 31.—Investigation by Coroner Tucker of the death of Wolfe Burtchener, who died suddenly, as was supposed, from nicotine poisoning, shows that he had drunk nearly a quart of raw whisky on a wager and then dropped dead. Warrants have been issued in the police court for the parties who made the wager. The remains will be exhumed.

### A Child Dies From Appendicitis.

NAPOLEON, O., Dec. 31.—The 18-months-old child of Sherman Walker died from appendicitis. He had been suffering from distension of the bowels, and after an operation was performed by the attending physician a plum seed was found to have entered the vermiform appendix, causing acute inflammation. The child died 12 hours after the operation.

### Peacemaker Stabbed.

CANTON, O., Dec. 31.—Charles Zueger, foreman at Dilger's brewery, Louisville, is at the point of death owing to his stabbing by George Frush, an employee. Frush, in an earlier altercation, seriously cut a fellow workman and was fined. He attacked him a second time, when Zueger interfered to separate them.

### Railroad Officers Changed.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 31.—The position of general manager of the Chicago and Erie and New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio railroads has been abolished and Colonel A. M. Tucker has been appointed general agent of the Erie lines west, with headquarters in Cleveland.

### An Old Soldier Ends His Existence.

KENTON, O., Dec. 31.—William Knowles, an old soldier, aged 52, committed suicide by taking an overdose of morphine. Physical suffering was the cause. His last words were: "This will either kill or cure."

### Sudden Death of a Bank Cashier.

ASHTABULA, O., Dec. 31.—J. Sum Blyth, for the past 25 years cashier of the Ashtabula National bank, lately reorganized into the Ashtabula Bank company, died suddenly Sunday morning.

### Killed His Brother-in-Law.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 31.—Andrew McCann, a prominent citizen of Pratt City, last night shot and instantly killed Edward Barrett, his brother-in-law. Barrett wanted McCann to eject George Dressler from his house, Barrett being jealous of Dressler's attentions to a lady friend. This McCann refused to do and a quarrel ensued with the above result. McCann is in jail.

### Not Guilty.

BARDSTOWN, Ky., Dec. 31.—Mrs. J. W. Nally was found not guilty yesterday of the murder of School Teacher Frank Doherty. Doherty attempted to assault Mrs. Nally in her husband's absence and she killed him.

### APPEALS FOR ARMENIANS.

**Destitution Threatening Fully 350,000 Distracted Souls.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—The National Armenian relief committee appeals to the people of the United States for immediate and generous contributions to relieve the needs of 350,000 Armenians who are destitute. Justice Brewer of the supreme court of the United States is chairman of this committee, which includes Archbishop Corrigan, Chauncey M. Depew, John S. Kennedy, Alexander E. Orr, Bishop Potter, Jacob Schieff, Everett P. Wheeler and Spencer Trask.

The committee announces that the immediate need is for money, which should be sent to the treasurer, Brown Brothers & Company, New York, Philadelphia and Boston. The only supplies that can be wisely used are grain, coarse cotton and woolen goods in the piece, but no such contributions should be forwarded without previous communication with the committee.

Rev. Dr. Robert S. Macarthur, Colonel Woodford, Rev. Phoebe Hamford and the Rev. Frederick D. Green, secretary of the National Armenian relief committee, addressed a large congregation Sunday night in the Cavalry Baptist church.

Dr. Macarthur said the meeting was called for a three-fold purpose: "First, to express sorrow to the Armenians for their sufferings; second, at once to urge the government to use every lawful means to protect American people and property, and particularly the missionaries in Turkey; third, to urge Russia or any other European government to extend protection to all Christian men and women in all parts of the Orient. 'As great a lover of peace as I am,' he declared, 'I have longed to hear a brave word from Washington, but I despair of hearing it.'"

### THEIR APPRECIATION.

**President Crespo of Venezuela Will Appoint a Commission of Thanks.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—General Targe Usler, special commissioner to the United States from Venezuela, is here with his family. General Usler, who was commander of one of the five army corps of Venezuela, was appointed a commissioner to come to the United States and watch the negotiations with Great Britain regarding the boundary dispute.

President Crespo will, General Usler says, as soon as President Cleveland announces the Venezuelan commission, appoint a commission of five of the most representative citizens of the South American republic to come to the United States and to convey to President Cleveland, the congress and the country the thanks and appreciation for the good will shown by the United States government in its announcement of intention to fearlessly enforce the Monroe doctrine.

The commission has not yet been appointed, though the gentlemen who will serve on it have been notified.

### Singular Accident to a School Girl.

ORIO FALLS, Ind., Dec. 31.—A terrible accident occurred at Nabb Station school to Pearl Robbins. As she was coming out of the schoolhouse another girl gave her a push, and in trying to save herself from falling Pearl caught at the doorpost. From this a nail protruded, and a ring which the girl was wearing upon her finger became fastened upon the nail. She hung by the finger for a few seconds, when it pulled completely out, and she fell to the ground. Another daughter of the same man fell a few weeks ago at the same spot and broke a leg.

### Outrage by Drunken Toughs.

HARRISBURG, Ky., Dec. 31.—News has just reached here of a series of outrages perpetrated by drunken toughs at Mackville. After firing through the windows of the city judge's residence and throwing rocks into the house of D. Thompson, they went to the store of a colored merchant named Isom and broke the door down. Isom and a negro friend named Garland fled for their lives, followed by a fusillade of bullets, one of which took effect in Garland's body, inflicting what is thought to be a fatal wound.

### It Is Believed All Perished.

RUTHVEN, Ont., Dec. 31.—Captain McQueen on Saturday last discovered a sunken fore and aft schooner of 300 tons burden, about six miles east of Pelee island, where it had evidently been sunk very recently as the spars had not been damaged by floating ice. This ship no doubt went down in the storm of the 11th inst., while running before the gale, and from the appearance of the wreck it is believed that all on board perished, there being no means of escaping on account of large quantities of floating ice.

### Locked Up the Mayor and Left.

WASHINGTON, Ind., Dec. 31.—Samuel Wallace, charged with grand larceny, was brought before Mayor Spencer at the city hall yesterday for a preliminary hearing. While the mayor was examining witnesses, the prisoner ran out of the room, pulled the door shut, turned the key that had been left in the lock, and made his escape, leaving the mayor, prosecuting attorney, Marshal Bohnert and a number of witnesses locked up in the room.

### Talk of a Lynching.

HELENA, Ark., Dec. 31.—John Hunlee, for 20 years manager of the Williamson plantation, near this city, was shot and instantly killed by Lee Leak, colored. The murderer escaped, but is being pursued. Talk of lynching is freely indulged in.

## BOND BILL REFERRED

**The Senate in No Hurry to Help the House.**

### READ TWICE IN THAT BODY.

**It Is Then Referred to the Committee on Finance—A Speech on the Monroe Doctrine—The Senate Committee Reorganized and Are Now in the Control of the Republicans.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—The house bill as to bonds was laid before the senate, read twice and referred to the finance committee.

The resolution heretofore offered by Mr. Quay (Rep., Pa.), calling on the secretary of the navy for information as to whether it would be advantageous to the naval service to contract now for six battle ships instead of two, was taken up and agreed to.

Henry Cabot Lodge, the senator from Massachusetts who has made a brilliant reputation as an historical biographer, delivered an address on the Monroe doctrine. Although temperate in language he took the ground that, unless we insisted that Venezuela's dispute with Great Britain should be submitted to friendly arbitration, we would surrender the essence, spirit and vital principle of the Monroe doctrine, which he contended was as essential to the safety and welfare of the Americas as the balance of power was to the safety and welfare of European nations.

Mr. Lodge occupied the floor almost two hours. When he finished Mr. Mitchell (Rep., Or.) presented the resolution for the reorganization of the senate committees.

Mr. Gorman demanded the yeas and nays, which were taken. The Populists Messrs. Allen of Nebraska, Butler of North Carolina, Irby of South Carolina, Peffer of Kansas and Stewart of Nevada, declined to vote. Mr. Tillman was paired against the resolution and Mr. Kyle, the Populist from North Dakota, voted against the resolution. This action of the Populists eliminated the Populists as a factor and the resolution which gave the Republicans control of the committees was adopted by a strict party vote of the members of the parties, 30-28.

A two-hour debate followed the adoption of the resolution, the purpose of which was mainly political. The Democrats, under the leadership of Senator Gorman, ably seconded by Senator Harris, attempted to show that the reorganization was effected by an alliance between the Republicans and Populists contending that the silence of the latter, by making possible the reorganization, indicated acquiescence. He also insisted that the Republican assumption of control saddled them with responsibility for legislation.

The Populists, led by Senator Allen of Nebraska and Senator Butler of North Carolina declared that they were in no fashion responsible for the result.

The Republicans, under the leadership of Senator Mitchell, chairman of the Republican steering committee, and assisted by Senators Hoar, Hale, Allison and Chandler, combated the argument of the Democrats by asserting most emphatically that the Populists had even refused to make any suggestions as to their committee assignments and had as a matter of fact, been left by the reorganization in the positions to which they had been assigned under the Democratic control of the senate. The Republicans strongly protested also against being held responsible for legislation.

On Mr. Mills' motion the senate went into executive session. Before the doors were closed, however, Mr. Cockrell called attention to the fact that of the 11 committees nominally left in the possession of the minority but one had a Democratic majority. He also introduced a joint resolution for an adjournment until Tuesday next.

At 4:50 the senate adjourned.

### MORE DESIRABLE IMMIGRANTS.

**Gratifying Results of the New Laws Seen at Ellis Island.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Deputy Commissioner of Immigration McSweeney estimates that about 62,000 more immigrants arrived at Ellis island the past year than in 1894. Thus far in December 18,349 immigrants have arrived. Estimating 14,000 for this month, the total for 1895 is 229,607, an increase over last year of 61,944. For 1894 the arrivals at the immigration station were 167,663 and for 1893 they were 162,944.

Deputy Commissioner McSweeney says the character of the immigrants is much better than in previous years. This improvement in quality is due to the rigid enforcement of the immigration laws, he says. The immigrants of last year brought \$4,000,000 with them. The immigrants of this year have brought a much larger sum.

### Hurt on an L. Road.

CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—A collision occurred yesterday morning at the Lawndale avenue terminus of the Metropolitan elevated railway, resulting in the partial derailment of one of the trains and injuring more or less seriously the following persons: Joseph Asire, motor-man; John Truesdale, conductor; Otto Weiskopf, police officer.

### Schooner Wrecked.

GALVESTON, Dec. 31.—The schooner Julia A. Ward has been wrecked at sea. She was of 561 tons and hailed from Rockport, Mass. Captain Rich and his crew were rescued and arrived here yesterday. The captain relates a tale of terrible suffering.



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INDICATIONS—Clearing in the early morning; colder; westerly winds.

## COUNTY CULLINGS.

Items Picked Up by the Bulletin's Correspondents in Mason and Elsewhere.

### GERMANTOWN.

R. P. Thompson of Maysville, is in town on business.

Miss Effie Galbraith, of Newport, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Maurice Browning.

Elder Appell, of Lexington, preached at Christ Church Sunday morning and evening.

J. F. Sheeler and mother and William Brothers and family will move to Robertson County in a few days to engage in mercantile business.

On last Friday, being the anniversary of the birthday of our son Dan that made him a free man, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Lloyd gave a splendid dining in honor of the event to a large number of the young man's friends who enjoyed a most delightful occasion in congratulations and good wishes.

On Wednesday, January 1st, 1896, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., the marriage of Miss Ida Erion to Mr. Leslie Brothers will be solemnized at the residence of the bride, Rev. Bird Hughes officiating. Miss Ida is the youngest daughter of George Erion, Esq., and is a very handsome and popular young lady. The groom has lived in our town but a short time, is a very worthy and deserving young man. The wedding will be very private, only a few select friends to be present. They will spend a part of their honeymoon in Central Kentucky, going by way of Cincinnati.

Mrs. Ava Asbury, the oldest inhabitant of our county, died on Saturday evening in her ninety-third year. Most if not all of her life had been spent in this community. She had been a faithful member of the M. E. Church for four score years. By her request her remains were brought to the church at this place where the funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. Bird Hughes, after which she was laid to rest in the cemetery at this place by the side of her aged husband. She leaves a large circle of children and grandchildren. Her sons, J. S. Asbury, of Mason County, and T. T. and Henry, of Bracken, are some of our most prominent citizens. Mrs. Byar and Mrs. Jones, twin daughters, survive her, the former living near Minerva the latter in Boone County.

### MAYSVILLE.

Mr. E. P. Berry and sons, of Cynthiana, are here on a visit.

Professor Chandler has gone to Mt. Olivet to visit his mother.

Mr. Hugh Yancey is confined to his home with an attack of pneumonia.

Miss June Pelham is spending the vacation with friends and relatives in Maysville.

The social at the Christian Church Friday night proved to be a very enjoyable affair.

Miss Nellie Buckley, of Murphysville, spent Christmas with Miss Katie Guilfoyle, of the St. Charles Hotel.

Misses May Finch, Anna Belle Brough, Florence Robb and Louie Fox, "college girls," are home for the holidays.

Several couples from here attended the masquerade party at the hospitable home of Mr. Henry Darnell, near Helena, Thursday night.

We are sorry to hear of Miss Lizzie Parry's painful accident. She slipped and fell fracturing her arm and sustaining some severe bruises.

Messrs. Claybourn Fox and John Laytham attended the supper given by the Oddfellows of Elizaville Thursday night and report the hospitality of the Elizaville people unbounded.

FROG in your throat, 10c—Power's drug store.

REGULAR meeting of DeKalb Lodge No. 12, I. O. O. F., to-night. Election of officers and other business.

Gov. BRADLEY's brother-in-law, Judge Morrow, is "seriously considering" becoming a candidate for the United States Senate. It has all the time been evident, says the Courier Journal, that there was such a lack of harmony among Republicans as to the nomination for this very desirable office that either the Governor or his representative might have to enter the race.

The marriage of Miss Clara Davis, of this city, to Mr. Arthur Price, of Lonaconing, Md., will be solemnized in the parlors of the Hill House, Wednesday evening, January 22nd, at 5 o'clock. Handsome invitations have been issued announcing the approaching nuptials. Miss Davis is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Davis, of Market street, and is one of Maysville's most estimable young ladies. The groom-to-be is a prominent young business man of Lonaconing.

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# THE MASON COUNTY.

## A Splendid Showing For This Building Association For the Year 1895.

Now Has Nearly \$200,000 Loans. Secretary Russell's Annual Report.

The BULLETIN is indebted to Secretary Russell, of the Mason County Building and Saving Association, for his report for the sixteenth year of this association. It contains some very interesting figures, and is as follows:

MAYSVILLE, KY., December 31, 1895.

To the Officers and Members of the Mason County Building and Saving Association, Gentlemen: Below I hand you my report for the quarter ending this day:

Receipts.	
Cash in Treasurer's hands	
January 1, 1895.....	\$2,103 17
Amt. received weekly dues.....	\$3,393 30
Amt. received monthly dues.....	2,528 05
Amt. received for fines.....	438 45
Amt. received for transfers.....	63 75
Amt. received for solicitor's fees.....	386 00
Amt. received for mortgages cancelled.....	61,800 00
Amt. received for cancelling mortgages.....	256 00
Amt. received for stock notes.....	4,880 00
Amt. received for initiation fee on 797 shares.....	398 50
Amt. received for interest.....	10,827 02
Amt. costs in suits.....	83 05
Amt. received for attorney fee.....	25 00
Amt. received for new book.....	25
Amt. received for bills payable.....	30,500 00
Amt. received for bills receivable.....	56 25
Amt. received for insurance.....	100 00
Amt. received for release.....	25-167,815 04
Disbursements.	
Amt. loaned on mortgages.....	\$17,400 00
Amt. loaned on stock notes.....	5,970 00
Amt. paid for 1,688 shares cancelled.....	56,042 60
Amt. paid dividend No. 15.....	12,353 00
Amt. paid bills payable.....	30,500 00
Amt. paid for salaries, rent, &c.....	1,629 65
Amt. paid Solicitor.....	381 75
Amt. solicitor's fees returned.....	4 25
Amt. paid for bills receivable.....	200 00
Amt. paid interest.....	326 55
Amt. paid premiums.....	559 20
Amt. paid insurance.....	100 00
Amt. paid Secretary of State.....	10 00
Amt. costs in suits.....	66 80
Amt. paid attorney fee.....	10 00
Amt. paid monthly dues returned.....	45
Amt. balance cash in hands	8,260 79-167,815 04
The association has now loaned out on:	
Mortgages.....	\$171,100 00
Stock.....	8,720 00
Note.....	200 00
	\$180,020 00
Each share has paid in as follows:	
Eight series.....	\$99 00
Ninth series.....	91 25
Tenth series.....	78 25
Eleventh series.....	65 25
Twelfth series.....	52 25
Thirteenth series.....	43 50
Fourteenth series.....	39 00
Fifteenth series.....	32 75
Sixteenth series.....	26 00
Seventeenth series.....	20 75
Eighteenth series.....	13 00
Nineteenth series.....	7 75
No. of shares in 8th series commencing Jan. 1, 1888.....	
No. cancelled as per report Oct. 1, 1895.....	348
Leav. No. shares in 8th series commencing June 1, 1889.....	250 — 98
No. of shares in 9th series commencing June 1, 1889.....	
No. cancelled as per report Oct. 1, 1895.....	841
Leav. No. shares in 9th series commencing Jan. 1, 1890.....	600 — 241
No. of shares in 10th series commencing Jan. 1, 1890.....	
No. cancelled as per report Oct. 1, 1895.....	974
No. cancelled this quarter.....	515
Leav. No. shares in 10th series commencing Jan. 1, 1891.....	2 — 457
No. of shares in 11th series commencing Jan. 1, 1891.....	
No. cancelled as per report Oct. 1, 1895.....	916
Leav. No. shares in 11th series commencing Jan. 1, 1892.....	624 — 292
No. of shares in 12th series commencing Jan. 1, 1892.....	
No. cancelled as per report Oct. 1, 1895.....	1,041
No. cancelled this quarter.....	525
Leav. No. shares in 12th series commencing Jan. 1, 1892.....	516
No. of shares in 13th series commencing Jan. 1, 1892.....	
No. cancelled as per report Oct. 1, 1895.....	452
No. cancelled this quarter.....	76
Leav. No. shares in 13th series commencing Jan. 1, 1893.....	78 — 374
No. of shares in 14th series commencing Jan. 1, 1893.....	
No. cancelled as per report Oct. 1, 1895.....	581
Leav. No. shares in 14th series commencing Jan. 1, 1894.....	148 — 433
No. of shares in 15th series commencing Jan. 1, 1894.....	
No. cancelled as per report Oct. 1, 1895.....	337
Leav. No. shares in 15th series commencing Jan. 1, 1895.....	101 — 236
No. of shares in 16th series commencing Jan. 1, 1895.....	
No. cancelled as per report Oct. 1, 1895.....	468
No. cancelled this quarter.....	76
Leav. No. shares in 16th series commencing Jan. 1, 1896.....	82 — 386
No. of shares in 17th series commencing Jan. 1, 1896.....	
No. cancelled as per report Oct. 1, 1895.....	242
No. cancelled this quarter.....	33
Leav. No. shares in 17th series commencing Jan. 1, 1897.....	6 — 203
No. of shares in 18th series commencing Jan. 1, 1897.....	
No. cancelled as per report Oct. 1, 1895.....	541
No. cancelled this quarter.....	75
Leav. No. shares in 18th series commencing Jan. 1, 1898.....	466 — 146
No. of shares in 19th series commencing Jan. 1, 1898.....	
No. cancelled as per report Oct. 1, 1895.....	256
Total No. shares in the association.....	3,958
The association has earned enough during the year to return the monthly dues and pay 6 1/2 per cent. dividend, as follows:	
241 shares 8th series at \$6 60.....	\$1,578 60
457 shares 10th series at 5 25.....	2,399 25
252 shares 11th series at 4 40.....	1,128 80
496 shares 12th series at 3 55.....	1,760 80
374 shares 13th series at 3 00.....	1,122 00
433 shares 14th series at 2 70.....	1,169 10
256 shares 15th series at 2 30.....	588 80
386 shares 16th series at 1 85.....	714 10
203 shares 17th series at 1 55.....	314 65
466 shares 18th series at 1 05.....	489 30
256 shares 19th series at 50.....	128 00
3958 shares.....	\$12,041 70

Very respectfully,

MILTON C. RUSSELL, Secretary.

### "The Common People."

As Abraham Lincoln called them, do not care to argue about their ailments. What they want is a medicine that will cure them. The simple, honest statement, "I know that Hood's Sarsaparilla cured me," is the best argument in favor of this medicine, and this is what many thousands voluntarily say.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pills; assist digestion, cure headache. 25c.

# What

You want of a medicine is that it shall do you good—purify and enrich your blood, throw off that tired feeling, and give you health, strength, courage and ambition.

## Hood's

Sarsaparilla is the only true blood purifier prominently in the public eye today, and it meets these requirements perfectly. This is proved by the testimony of thousands of people. Hood's

## Sarsaparilla

Builds up the nerves by feeding them on pure blood, creates an appetite by toning the digestive organs, overcomes that Tired Feeling by giving vitality to the blood, and gives sweet refreshing sleep. You may realize that Hood's Sarsaparilla

## Does

this by giving it a fair trial. Insist upon Hood's and only Hood's. \$1; six for \$5.

Hood's Pills act harmoniously with Hood's Sarsaparilla. 25c.

### PERSONAL.

—Mr. Claude Tolle has returned from a visit near Orangeburg.

—Rev. Boyd K. Muse, of Prestonville, Ky., arrived last evening.

—Mrs. William Guilfoyle, of Russell Cave, Fayette County, is here visiting relatives.

—Mr. Buckner Wall left for Cincinnati this morning, and will attend the Colonial Ball to-night.

—Mrs. J. W. Delaney, of Covington, has returned home after visiting her sister, Mrs. Jacob Wormald.

—Miss Margaret Buckley, of Murphysville, has returned home after a pleasant visit to Miss Lilly P. Williams, of Mayslick.

—Mr. William Greenwood has returned from Knoxville, Tenn., where he was called a few days ago by the illness and death of his father.

—Mrs. Mary T. Cox, of East Third street, after spending the holidays with Mrs. William Chanslor, of Shannon neighborhood, has returned to her home.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rowland, of Middletown, O., have been spending a few days in Maysville, and are receiving a warm greeting from their many friends.

—Mrs. William H. Cox and daughter, Miss Roberta, left Monday for Denver to remain some time with relatives. Mr. Cox accompanied them as far as Cincinnati.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.  
 When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.  
 When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.  
 When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

FRANKFORT Capital: "The old faces in the Auditor's office have begun to disappear already. Two of the clerks, Messrs. A. F. Respass, of Maysville, and Mr. John M. Rice, of Lawrence, will be succeeded immediately upon Auditor Stone's incoming Tuesday week. Mr. Rice has already gone home, and will not likely return. Mr. Respass' desk is a more important one and he will wait till Mr. Stone's new man arrives. Col. Stone's son will be one of the new men."

In the selection of his stock Ballenger follows the one infallible guide—sterling merit. In the disposition of the same he aims at one inevitable result—supreme satisfaction. If he did not sell the best, he could not sustain this record.

## MANLY VIGOR

ONCE MORE in harmony with the world, 2000 completely cured men are singing happy praises for the greatest, grandest and most successful cure for sexual weakness and lost vigor known to medical science. An account of this wonderful discovery, in book form, with references and proofs, will be sent to suffering men (sealed) free. Full manly vigor permanently restored. Failure impossible. ERIE MEDICAL CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A steel telescope fishing rod and Hendrix quadruple reel and line case of all kinds of tackle. Cost \$24; for \$9. Apply at this office. 12-dtf

FOR SALE—Guaranteed 8 per cent. and 10 per cent. bonds. Coupons payable semi-annually. A. E. COLE & SON.

### LOST.

LOST—Friday, either on Wall or Second, a pair of spectacles, in case. Please return them to this office.

## NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of J. C. Humphreys will please present them, properly verified and proven, at Mitchell, Finch & Co.'s Bank. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please be prompt to settle. Payments may be made at said bank, which is authorized to receipt for same.

MRS. SALLIE McDONALD HUMPHREYS, 31d-wlv Administratrix of J. C. Humphreys.

# After Christmas

Begins the clearing of left-overs at very little price. Some are as perfect as when they entered the store; others a trifle less perfect. But only an unwise merchant would carry them over to another season, so we have placed them on our bargain table.

**Muffs**—Several varieties of Fur, all satin lined, handsomely finished, and prices as little as the value is big. A good Muff in Coney or Russian Hare for 50c. Fur Collars of several kinds at the enticing price of \$1.00. Feather Boa, one and a quarter yards long, 97c.

**Knit Goods**—Beautiful line of Hoods and Fascinators, all colors, best make, 25 and 50c.

**Underwear** for men, women and children, with a hundred per cent. of weight, warmth and wear in each garment. Have you seen our 25c. Vests and Pants?

**Remnants**—A great many among the prints at prices sure to drive them from our shelves to your work baskets.

**Handkerchiefs** of silk, Swiss and linen, at 5, 10 and 15c.

**Dresser Scarfs**—Several styles, all pretty and nice quality, closing out at 50 and 75c.

**Fur Capes**—Our winter only begins in January. Three months yet of cold weather. You will never regret the comfort and economy of an investment in our Fur department. Prices cut to half—a fact, no misstatement.

# D. HUNT & SON.

## WORTH THINKING ABOUT:

## HOLIDAY PRESENTS!

HOEFLICH'S is the place to buy them. Lowest prices on record for a fine line Jap Goods and Novelties of all kinds. Special Handkerchief sale all this week. Stamped Linens at half price. Yours for bargains,

# PAUL HOEFLICH & BRO.,

MARKET STREET.

## Christmas Gifts

**CHINA**—Handsome Plates, beautiful Cups and Saucers, elegant Dinner and Tea Sets and all the latest novelties. Simply giving them away.  
**CUT GLASS**—The finest American cuttings at 10 to 20 per cent. less than they can be bought for elsewhere.  
**LAMPS**—Our stock is the largest and most complete ever brought to the city. Prices from 20c. to \$20, and every Lamp guaranteed.  
 With every Cup, Saucer or Plate purchased we present you with an Ensel.

# C. D. RUSSELL & CO.,

THE CHINAMEN.

## IT PAYS

To Have the Biggest Stock, the Greatest Variety and the BEST Goods at the LOWEST Prices, and to Let the People Know It. . . .

All this I do, and my sales during the Holidays have been the largest and the most satisfactory I have ever had. In fact they have been immense, and I desire to return my most sincere thanks to the good people for their very liberal patronage, and assure them that at all times my stock of everything in my line shall be full and complete, of the very best, and at prices below competition.

Keep a close watch on this space. It will at all times contain something of interest to you. And when you come to our little city come right in and make yourself at home. Remember that all goods sold will be delivered to any part of the city free of charge.

# R. B. LOVEL

The Leading Grocer. . . .

**THE ELIXIR OF YOUTH**  
 BRINGS BACK TO YOUNG AND OLD THEIR LOST MANHOOD  
 \$5000  
 WE forfeit if our testimonials are not true. Have the druggist show them to you or address with stamp and we will send them and book FREE. The Weak Memory, Loss of Brain Power, Lost Vitality, Nightly Emissions, Evil Dreams, Headache, Pains in the Limbs and Back and Indigestion, caused by youthful errors, or excesses, over indulgence or abuse of any kind of either sex. Ask for ELIXIR OF YOUTH, take no other. \$1 per bottle, 6 for \$5. Sold under a guarantee to cure or money refunded. Prepared only by THE GERMAN HOSPITAL REMEDY CO., GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.  
 For sale by J. C. PECOR & CO., Druggists.

### RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

CINCINNATI DIVISION CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO.

ROUTE	
East.	West.
No. 16.....	No. 19.....
No. 2.....	No. 18.....
No. 18.....	No. 17.....
No. 20.....	No. 16.....
No. 4.....	No. 15.....

Daily. Daily except Sunday.  
 F. V. Limited No. 2 arrives at Washington at 6:50 a. m.; Baltimore, 8:05 a. m.; Philadelphia, 10:25 a. m.; New York, 12:53 p. m.  
 F. V. Limited No. 3 arrives at Cincinnati at 5:50 p. m.  
 Washington Express No. 4 arrives at Washington at 8:45 p. m.; New York, 1:08 p. m.  
 Cincinnati Fast Line No. 1 arrives Cincinnati at 8:00 a. m.  
 Pullman sleeping car service to Richmond and Old Point Comfort by trains 2 and 4.  
 Direct connection at Cincinnati for all points West and South.  
 No. 1, 2, 3 and 4 do not stop between Maysville and Newport.  
 For full information and rates to all points East and West, apply to  
 T. A. GARRIGAN, S. E. P. A.,  
 Huntington, W. Va.

**MAYSVILLE DIVISION.**  
**Southbound.**  
 Leaves Maysville at 5:47 a. m. for Paris, Lexington, Cincinnati, Richmond, Stanford, Livingstone, Frankfort, Louisville and points on N. N. and M. V.—Eastern Division.  
 Leave Maysville at 1:30 p. m. for Paris, Cincinnati, Lexington, Winchester, Richmond and points on N. N. and M. V.—Eastern Division.

### WANTED.

WANTED—Two good men of middle age to travel for the Singer Sewing Machine Company. No capital required. Salary or commission. Apply at Singer office, 113 West Second, Maysville, Ky. T. B. BRADLEY, agent.  
 WANTED—To lend on improved real estate \$1,000 for seven years at guaranteed net cost of only \$34; and other sums in proportion. A. E. COLE & SON.

### FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—My residence on Third street, furnished. Apply to MRS. GEORGE T. HUNTER.  
 FOR RENT—A brick house, located on East Front street, adjoining Dr. Cartmell's residence, containing six rooms and a kitchen in good order. Rent reasonable. Apply to JAMES RICE.  
 FOR RENT—A nice Cottage of four rooms and Blacksmith Shop and garden, situated in the central part of Mt. Carmel, Ky., and is a No. 1 stand for a good smith and woodworker. For further particulars, write LOUIS T. GAEBKE, Mt. Carmel, Ky. References exchanged. 12tf



# FOR A SAFE AND RELIABLE INVESTMENT,

Paying at Least 6 Per Cent. in Annual Cash Dividends, You  
Cannot do Better Than by Taking Stock in the New Series

## MASON COUNTY BUILDING AND SAVING ASSOCIATION,

New Series Now Open, Commencing January 1, 1896.

M. C. RUSSELL, Sec.,

R. K. HOEFLICH, Treas.

### CAUGHT A BURGLAR.

An Ex-Maysvillian Has a Lively Experience With a Thief at Wichita.

[Wichita Eagle.]

There was great excitement on North Market street at 6 o'clock last evening.

The cry of burglar startled the entire neighborhood and disturbed the Christmas reminiscences of friends and family circles.

At 5:30 Mrs. T. J. Rogers went to call on a neighbor and, of course, did not consider it necessary to lock the door. Her husband came back from a visit down town during her absence and sauntered into the house as leisurely as usual.

His wife did not meet and greet him as is her custom, but instead a rusty, burly burglar did, and you may be assured that Tom Rogers' Kentucky blood was stirred. He rushed for his revolver but the burglar got possession of it first and owned the field. The burglar in an effort to get away without unnecessary bloodshed, tried to retreat by the back door and ran into a room instead. Mr. Rogers shut him in and locked the door and then lustily shouted for his neighbor, Dr. Allen to come to his assistance. The doctor did not hear him and then Mr. Carpenter came along. He asked Mr. Carpenter to stand guard while he went to Dr. Allen's where he rang the bell and shouted for dear life. Dr. Allen and his son, Charlie, all unarmed, strengthened the guard. Mr. Rogers then went across to Dr. Oldman's and not only called up the police, but enlisted the doctor also as a member of the guard. He then ran to the county jail and by the time he came back with Sheriff Royse, Officer W. W. Hains had arrived, but he, too, was unarmed and the burglar still held the castle. When Sheriff Royse arrived on the scene adequately equipped to push the siege the burglar had been captured by Doc Root. He is now in the county jail and there is hardly a doubt but what he will spend next Christmas and great many succeeding ones in the penitentiary.

### In Society Circles.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Watson opened their parlors last evening to the Junior Club of Maysville, who were elegantly entertained by Misses Willie Watson and Bessie Peed. Dancing was indulged until a late hour when a tempting lunch was served. All went home with the farewell words, "It was the happiest event of the holidays."

The Junior Club will entertain this New Year's Eve with a leap year party at the home of Miss Belle Watson.

### The Modern Mother

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant laxative, Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

### Senator Blackburn Confident.

VERMILION, Ky., December 30.—Senator Blackburn said to-day in regard to his Senatorial prospects: "I go to Frankfort Thursday, and unless the Republicans steal the Senatorship I have got it. My nomination in the caucus is certain. I can claim with positive assurance one Populist vote."

The Senator is looking splendidly, is in fine spirits and appears to feel all the confidence he expresses.

### The Ideal Panacea.

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs, Colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations."

Rev. John Burgess, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: "I have been a Minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church for fifty years or more, and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave me such speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery." Try this Ideal Cough Remedy now. Trial bottles free at J. James Wood's drug store.

BUCKWHEAT and maple—Calhoun's.

GRIP is very prevalent at Frankfort.

USEFUL Christmas presents at Power's drug store.

J. D. CRAYCRAFT is the new postmaster at Miranda, Nicholas County.

TRY Chenoweth's Cough Syrup. It is guaranteed to relieve your cough. Only 25 cents per bottle. No cure, no pay.

BEST oil, coal and wood heaters, Monitor ranges and cook stoves made, and lowest in price, for cash at W. F. Power's.

BEIGHTMAN BROS., poultry dealers, have finished up their business here for the present season and returned to their Eastern home.

LETTERCARRIER THOS. M. LUMAN, whose illness was mentioned yesterday, was no better last evening. He is suffering from a severe attack of quinsy.

DENNIS CROW and William Williams were tried by a jury in the Police Court Monday for a breach of the peace and were fined \$1 and costs each.

DECIDELY the prettiest calendar the BULLETIN has received this year is the one from the Singer Sewing Machine Company. Mr. T. P. Bradley, agent, has our thanks.

THE LEDGER announced Saturday that Mrs. Ann McCauley, colored, dropped dead Friday afternoon. It's not always so, however, if it is in the Ledger. She is still alive and improving.

RICHARD MOTT, a merchant of Grassey Creek, Lewis County, swore out a warrant Monday for the arrest of a neighbor, Mrs. James Pell, charging her with burning his grocery store and blacksmith shop.

JERRY GRAHAM, colored, driver of a coal cart for the Citizen's Coal Company, was kicked by a mule last evening and painfully injured. A large gash was cut over his right eye. The same mule kicked him about a year ago and disabled him for several weeks.

A DIAMOND can be turned into cash most any minute. It doesn't depreciate in value. The enjoyment of wearing it is interest on the investment. A single fine stone gives an elegant finish to an elegant costume or lifts the common costume out of the commonplace. Ballenger's stock of gems is the loveliest in Maysville.

SATURDAY night burglars broke into the store of Thomas Collier, of Stone City, the post-office being kept in the store, and after taking what things they could conveniently carry went to the post-office department and began opening the letters. They took whatever of value they contained. William Tarry and Ben Whitaker, junk boatmen, were arrested Sunday afternoon, just across the river from Vanceburg, for the alleged robbery. They deposited \$85, in lieu of bond, for their appearance.

DR. CHAUNCEY DEPEW has written a book in which he says the twentieth century will be a "truth-seeking century." In speaking of the coming diplomacy and the fates of the nations, he says: "There will come about a oneness of races and nationalities by which the moral sense of civilization will overcome the timidity of diplomacy to prevent or to punish such atrocities as are now being perpetrated in Armenia. The Turk will either adopt the laws and recognize the rights of life, liberty and property commonly recognized among Christian nations, or his empire will be dismembered and distributed among the powers of Europe."

### It May Do As Much For You.

Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes that he had a severe kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago he began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Electric Bitters is especially adapted to cure of all kidney and liver troubles and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statement. Price only 50c. At J. James Wood's drug store.

### INTERNAL REVENUE.

The Collections at This Point Amount-  
ed to Nearly \$100,000, Dur-  
ing the Year 1895.

Deputy Collector Robert L. Baldwin reports the following collections for December:

Spirits.....	\$11,630 52
Cigars.....	434 10
Tobacco.....	85 65

Total.....\$12,150 27

The collections for the year 1895 were as follows:

January.....	\$ 5,457 41
February.....	5,301 84
March.....	5,464 60
April.....	6,805 33
May.....	6,185 25
June.....	5,368 36
July.....	7,234 98
August.....	8,297 59
September.....	8,254 76
October.....	12,698 69
November.....	15,693 03
December.....	12,150 27
Total.....	\$98,916 11

Hood's Sarsaparilla, taken at this season, will make you feel strong and vigorous and keep you from sickness later on.

### River News.

Another rise in the Kanawha.

Still rising at this point with 21 3-10 feet on the marks.

The Sherley down at 9 a. m. and is tonight's packet for Pomeroy.

There are still over 10,000,000 bushels of coal awaiting shipment at Pittsburg.

The boats had a rough time of it in the storm Monday afternoon and last night.

The handsome new Virginia passed up at 2 o'clock this morning. She was delayed about an hour at New Richmond.

The big towboat Harry Brown met with an accident at Bruno's Island Monday, sinking three coalboats and barges. The Cincinnati Post headlines the dispatch that the Brown also sank, but the dispatch doesn't say so.

### Carriers' Address.

The carriers of the BULLETIN will call on their patrons to-morrow with a neat New Year's address from the pen of Col. Henry T. Stanton, Kentucky's poet laureate. The boys have been faithful the past year, in sunshine and in storm, and they will appreciate any favors shown them to-morrow.

MARY COMBS, colored, was in the Police Court Monday, charged with petit larceny, and was recommitted to jail in default of \$100 bail. She is accused of stealing some World's Fair trinkets and other articles from Mr. C. G. Cady and family.

An acceptable gift—barrel of Old Gold.



GOOD FOR EVERYBODY

and everyone needs it at all times of the year. Malaria is always about, and the only preventive and relief is to keep the liver active. You must help the liver, and the best helper is the Old Friend, SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR, the RED Z.

Mr. C. Himrod, of Lancaster, Ohio, says: "SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR broke a case of Malarial Fever of three years' standing for me, and less than one bottle did the business. I shall use it when in need, and recommend it." Be sure that you get it. Always look for the RED Z on the package. And don't forget the word REGULATOR. It is SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR, and there is only one, and every one who takes it is sure to be benefited. THE BENEFIT IS ALL IN THE REMEDY. Take it also for Biliousness and Sick Headache; both are caused by a sluggish liver.

J. H. Zeilin & Co., Philadelphia.

## A Breezy Time and Sloppy Weather!

Do not forget that  
we are the largest  
dispensers of Rub-  
bers and Boots and  
Shoes in the city.

## PROGRESS SHOE STORE.

XMAS at cost—Power's drug store.

FIRE INSURANCE.—Duley & Baldwin.

ACCIDENT ins. tickets. W. R. Warder.

CHOICE Christmas candies at Armstrong's.

GOVERNOR BRADLEY appointed J. R. S. Wedding, of Hartford, Judge Advocate General Monday, with rank of Colonel.

AN inch of rain falling upon an area of one square mile is equivalent to nearly 17,000,000 gallons, weighing 145,250,000 pounds, or 64,844 tons, says the Scientific American.

MESSRS. SHEELER & BUTCHER, of Germantown, left here this morning, with a stock of general merchandise, for Piqua, Robertson County, where they will engage in business.

P. J. MURPHY, the jeweler, is in receipt of a telegram from the lamp, table and bronze manufacturer, telling him to dispose of a line of tables, lamps and bronzes, consigned to him, regardless of prices heretofore asked for these goods. Commencing to-day I will place the entire line regardless of values.

ASHLAND News: "We are glad to learn that Rev. J. S. Sims, formerly pastor of the M. E. Church, South, in this city, but now in charge of the church at Maysville, Ky., is accomplishing much good there, and is also held in the highest esteem by all persons of that city. Rev. Sims is an able minister, and will do good any place, and the only thing that would recompense for giving him up here is that they supplied such a pastor as Rev. Mr. French to succeed him."

CHARLES PRICE, the colored man who created such excitement on West Second street Friday afternoon by his reckless shooting, was given a hearing Monday before Judge Wadsworth and was held in the sum of \$300 to answer the charge of shooting at another with intent to kill. The evidence went to show that he shot at a colored boy near Short street, and then pursued him to the West End. The boy was in a cart and Price was on horseback and the race must have been exciting. The boy was driving for all that was out, and in telling of this run, he remarked, "Well he never caught up with me." Price also shot at a woman who was standing in the door at Pierce's grocery.

### Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. James Wood.

## CLOAKS!

If you have waited until now to purchase your Winter Wrap, come and see us this week. We have left in stock about fifty Capes and Jackets of this season's styles which we are offering at one third off. If we have the style you want, the price will be no object.



## Underwear.

We are also closing out our stock of Underwear at a big reduction. We will sell you a Ladies' Ribbed Fleece-lined Vest at 15c., a Gent's heavy Merino Shirt and Pants for 38c.



## Browning & CO.



# What is CASTORIA

Castoria is Dr. Samuel Pitcher's prescription for Infants and Children. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. It is a harmless substitute for Paregoric, Drops, Soothing Syrups, and Castor Oil. It is Pleasant. Its guarantee is thirty years' use by Millions of Mothers. Castoria destroys Worms and allays feverishness. Castoria prevents vomiting Sour Curd, cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. Castoria relieves teething troubles, cures constipation and flatulency. Castoria assimilates the food, regulates the stomach and bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. Castoria is the Children's Panacea—the Mother's Friend.

## Castoria.

"Castoria is an excellent medicine for children. Mothers have repeatedly told me of its good effect upon their children."

DR. G. C. OSGOOD,  
Lowell, Mass.

"Castoria is the best remedy for children of which I am acquainted. I hope the day is not far distant when mothers will consider the real interest of their children, and use Castoria instead of the various quack nostrums which are destroying their loved ones, by forcing opium, morphine, soothing syrup and other hurtful agents down their throats, thereby sending them to premature graves."

DR. J. F. KINCHELOE,  
Conway, Ark.

## Castoria.

"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me."

H. A. ARCHER, M. D.,  
111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

"Our physicians in the children's department have spoken highly of their experience in their outside practice with Castoria, and although we only have among our medical supplies what is known as regular products, yet we are free to confess that the merits of Castoria has won us to look with favor upon it."

UNITED HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY,  
ALLEN C. SMITH, Pres. Boston, Mass.

The Centaur Company, 77 Murray Street, New York City.

## MOTHERS OF GREAT MEN.

Spohr's mother was an excellent judge of music, but no musician.

Goethe pays several tributes in his writings to the character of his mother.

Bach's mother had a marvelous ear for music. He said she was a better judge of music than his father.

Beecher once said, "The memory of my sainted mother is the brightest recollection of my early years."

Lull was fortunate in having a musical mother, who gave him a large amount of training before he was turned over to a music master.

Marlborough's mother wished him to be a soldier and often narrated to him deeds of military daring in order to inspire him to emulate them.

Tennyson's mother was always regarded by him as a model for all other mothers. He once said, "The training of a child is woman's wisdom."

Emperor Charles V issued an edict intended to repress the growing tendency toward disobedience to parents, and particularly disrespect toward mothers.

George Herbert declared that his mother had more influence on his life than all other causes combined. He said, "One good mother is worth 100 schoolmasters."

The mother of Correggio was at first opposed to his art work and only yielded after he had elicited the commendation of others by a display of what he could do in the way of painting.

The elder Pitt had an idea that his bias toward statesmanship was given him by his mother's love of political affairs. He once said that had she been a man she would have been one of the leading politicians of her day.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

## GLEANINGS.

Ice is the only known body that does not contract under extreme cold.

There are at present exactly 1,580 miles of water mains in the city of London.

It costs four times as much to govern American cities as is spent for the same purpose in British cities.

A journal devoted to the pen, ink and paper trade says that the world now uses 3,500,000 steel pens every day in the week.

For many centuries the Chinese have dated all their public acts, documents and chronology from the accessions of the emperors.

There are six tunnels in the world which have a length exceeding 21,000 feet.—St. Gothard, Mont Cenis, Hoosac, Severn, Nochtstons and Sutis.

Do you know that it would take you 28 days to count from 1 to 1,000,000, working much harder and faster than you or any one else ever worked before? Well, it would.

Cape Horn is one mass of black rock, without vegetation or birds. The sea always runs off it with tremendous force, and rounding the cape is considered the roughest navigation.

A man who recently died in Odessa left 1,000,000 rubles apiece to four nieces on condition that they work for 15 months as chambermaids, cooks or farm servants. His object, it is thought, was to make them more sympathetic toward domestic servants of their own.

## THE MARKETS.

Review of the Grain and Livestock Markets For December 31.

### Pittsburg.

Cattle—Prime, \$4 20; 40; good, \$3 80; 40; good butchers, \$3 60; 40; butts, \$3 40; 40; rough, fat, \$3 20; 40; fresh cows and springers, \$3 50; 40. Hogs—Prime light, \$4 00; 40; best Yorkers, \$3 95; 40; common to fair Yorkers, \$3 65; 40; roughs, \$3 50; 40. Sheep—Extra, \$4 40; 40; good, \$4 20; 40; fair, \$4 00; 40; common, \$3 80; 40; spring lambs, \$2 60; 40; veal calves, \$6 50; 40.

### Chicaguito.

Wheat—61¢; 62¢. Corn—26½¢; 29¢. Cattle—Selected butchers, \$4 00; 40; fair to medium, \$3 50; 40; common, \$3 25; 40. Hogs—Selected and prime butchers, \$3 80; 40; packing, \$3 65; 40; common to rough, \$3 25; 40. Sheep—\$1 25; 40. Lambs—\$2 75; 40.

### Chicago.

Hogs—Selected butchers, \$3 40; 40; mixed, \$3 45; 40. Cattle—Poor to choice steers, \$3 25; 40; others, \$3 50; 40; cows and bulls, \$3 00; 40. Sheep—\$1 75; 40; lambs, \$3 00; 40.

### New York.

Cattle—\$1 25; 40. Sheep—\$2 00; 40; lambs, \$3 75; 40.

## Maysville Retail Market.

GREEN COFFEE—25¢; 27¢. MOLASSES—new crop, gallon, 50¢; 60¢. Golden Syrup, 35¢; 40¢. Sorghum, fancy new, 65¢. SUGAR—Yellow, lb., 4¢; 5¢. Extra C, lb., 5¢. A, lb., 5¢. Granulated, lb., 5¢. Powdered, lb., 5¢. New Orleans, lb., 5¢. TEAS—lb., 50¢; 60¢. COAL OIL—Headlight, gallon, 11¢; 15¢. BACON—Breakfast, lb., 11¢; 12¢. Clear sides, lb., 8¢; 10¢. Hams, lb., 12¢; 13¢. Shoulders, lb., 8¢; 10¢. BEANS—3 gallon, 50¢; 60¢. BUTTER—lb., 15¢; 20¢. CHICKENS—Each, 20¢; 25¢. EGGS—dozen, 20¢; 25¢. FLOUR—Limestone, barrel, \$4 50; 50¢. Old Gold, barrel, 4 00. Maysville Fancy, barrel, 4 25. Morning Glory, barrel, 4 25. Roller King, barrel, 4 75. Magnolia, barrel, 3 75. Blue Grass, barrel, 3 75. Graham, sack, 12¢; 15¢. HONEY—lb., 12¢; 15¢. HOMINY—gallon, 12¢; 15¢. MEAL—peck, 15¢. LARD—pound, 10¢; 12¢. ONIONS—peck, 15¢. POTATOES—peck, new, 15¢. A FLEW—peck, 10¢; 15¢.

PERSONS having claims against the estate of the late J. C. Humphreys are notified to present them at Mitchell, Finch & Co.'s Bank. Persons indebted to the estate are asked to settle promptly. See notice.

The roller skating craze has struck Lexington again. A mammoth rink was opened Saturday night in Jackson Hall by Messrs. Charlton Morgan, Jr., C. K. Oldham and George Lancaster. The attendance was large and composed entirely of the swell people of the city.



## KNOWLEDGE

Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attain the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50c and \$1 bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

## REGINA,

The Queen of Music Boxes.



## A Beautiful Holiday Present

Plays thousands of tunes on a steel comb, and far surpasses the famous Swiss Music Box made in quality of tone. The tune sheets are indestructible, being made of metal, and the mechanism is so strong and heavy that it cannot get out of order.

Call at Ballenger's and Hear It Play.

## WE'VE GOT THEM,

Both in quality and quantity. Gaze on the following prices. Cut them out and bring them with you, and we will fill your order with the best goods in the city for the least money.

5 lbs. assorted Suck Candy.....25¢  
5 lbs. Blue Ribbon Mixed Candy.....25¢  
4 lbs. Home-made Mixed Candy.....25¢  
1 lb. best Chocolate drops.....15¢  
1 lb. best Almonds.....20¢  
1 lb. best Shelled Almonds.....20¢  
1 lb. best Pecans.....10¢  
1 lb. best Cream Nuts.....10¢  
1 lb. best new mixed Nuts (no peanuts).....15¢  
1 lb. best Sultana Raisins.....15¢  
1 lb. layer Raisins.....10¢  
1 lb. Four-Crown Raisins.....5¢  
1 lb. Three-Crown Raisins.....4¢  
1 lb. Cleaned Currants.....7¢  
1 lb. new Figs.....8¢  
1 lb. best Layer Figs.....15¢  
1 lb. new Dates.....7¢  
1 lb. Fancy Hothouse Peaches.....15¢  
1 lb. Fancy Evaporated Peaches.....10¢  
1 barrel Perfection Flour.....\$1 25  
Headquarters for Dressed Poultry, Oysters, Celery, Cranberries and Fruit of all kinds. Seeing is believing. The public are cordially invited to come and inspect our stock before buying elsewhere. We will make it their interest to do so.

CUMMINS & REDMOND,  
Blue Ribbon Store, corner Third and Limestone.

## A SWEET TOOTH

MAY BE MADE SWEETER  
BY TASTING SOME  
OF THOSE

Delicious Chocolates,  
Caramels, Bon Bons  
and Marshmallows.

Call in and gaze until you are Candy hungry.  
Everything fresh, clean and very tempting.

## TRAXEL.

M. B. GILMORE,  
Granite, Marble and

## FREESTONE WORKS.

All kinds of Monumental work done in the best manner. Second street above opera house

## NOTICE.

The firm of Tomlin Bros., of Murphysville, Ky., have dissolved partnership. Those fitting themselves indebted to the firm will please call and settle with W. S. Tomlin. W. S. Tomlin will settle all debts of the firm. TOMLIN BROS.,  
Murphysville, Ky.

C. F. ZWEIFART, JR.,

## DAILY MEAT MARKET.

Corner of Second and Station Streets.

## LICENSE NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that all licenses are the city of Maysville on January 1st.

The following occupations and articles are subject to license at the rates named:

Auctioneers.....	\$ 5 00
Billiard, pool and pigeon hole tables.....	25 00
Bowling and ten-pin alleys.....	30 00
Shooting gallery.....	100 00
Life and fire insurance agents.....	30 00
Plate glass and accident insurance agents.....	20 00
Tornado insurance agents.....	70 00
Circus and menageries per day.....	50 00
Lectures, operas, concerts and plays.....	3 00
Opera house.....	100 00
Public dance house, per year.....	20 00
Dances, per night.....	5 00
Skating rinks, merry-go-rounds, etc., per day.....	2 00
Wholesale liquor dealers.....	50 00
Agency for wholesaling liquors.....	300 00
Barroom.....	50 00
Druggists.....	150 00
Merchants retail.....	5 00
Itinerant peddlers, temporary residents, per day.....	5 00
Peddling from one-horse wagon.....	4 00
Peddling from two-horse wagon.....	3 00
Foot peddler, stock less than \$25.....	2 00
Foot peddler, stock of \$25 or more.....	3 00
Storage of petroleum and other oils exceeding five barrels.....	10 00
Petroleum, selling from one-horse wagon either at wholesale or retail to merchants.....	50 00
Petroleum, selling from two-horse wagon.....	75 00
Cart or dray.....	3 00
One-horse wagon.....	3 00
Two-horse wagon.....	6 00
Four-horse wagon.....	5 00
Astrologers and fortune tellers, per day.....	5 00
Bill posters.....	5 00
Boarding houses (public).....	10 00
Bowie knives, along shots, brass knuckles and dirk knives.....	50 00
Brokers.....	10 00
Cigarettes.....	20 00
Eating houses.....	10 00
Fish mongers.....	5 00
Hotels.....	10 00
Laundries.....	20 00
Livery stables.....	25 00
Lunch stands.....	10 00
Pistols.....	5 00
Playing cards.....	5 00
Real estate agents.....	10 00
Restaurants.....	10 00
Stallions, for breeding.....	10 00
Dogs.....	1 00

For carry on or conducting the business of an express or telegraph office in said city, doing other than an interstate business or business for the United States government, per year..... 30 00  
Scales, private property for compensation..... 25 00  
Scales upon streets..... 25 00  
WM. H. COX, Mayor.

## Assignee's Sale!

On SATURDAY,  
January 4th, 1896, at 2 p. m.,

I will sell the following real estate assigned to me, to-wit: The tract of NINETY ACRES of Land, more or less, situated near the city of Maysville, Ky., known as

## The Maysville Fair Grounds,

together with all the buildings thereon. Possession given January 10th, 1896. The sale will take place on the grounds, and will be a credit of six, twelve and eighteen months, the purchaser to execute bond with good security, bearing interest from date until paid.

W. W. BALL,  
Assignee Maysville Fair Company, Ltd.  
December 2nd, 1895.

MASON COUNTY.

## FARMS FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers two Farms for sale, one containing 200 acres and the other 46 acres. The first tract is located on the Stony Hollow pike and is well improved.

A Good Dwelling of Six Rooms, Three Barns, Ice House

and other outbuildings, and it has on it a good orchard. The smaller tract is a part of the old Montjoy farm, and has on it a good dwelling of four rooms and a good stable. For further particulars address

GEO. R. WELLS,

Bernard, Mason County, Ky.

LOUIS LANDMAN, M. D.,

OCULIST and  
OPTICIAN,

Of Chicaguito, O., will be at the Mineral Well House, Aberdeen, O., on Wednesday, Sept. 25, one day only.

Notwithstanding he is now a practicing physician, in addition to being an experienced Optician, he will continue his business as Optician as formerly, and will make no extra charges for examining your eyes and fitting them with glasses. Prices for glasses as usual. He will make his regular visits from now on.

## FINE FARMS

FOR SALE.

The Executors of Thomas Wells, deceased, will sell, at private sale, the "Home Tract" of 88 3-4 Acres, near Helena Station, also three other tracts of land adjoining same, containing 110 Acres, 30 Acres and 24 Acres respectively. No better land in the State. Terms to suit purchasers. Apply to

S. A. Piper,  
and  
G. S. Wall, Executors.  
Maysville, Ky.

MOST IN QUANTITY. BEST IN QUALITY.

## WORMS!

WHITE'S CREAM

VERMIFUGE

FOR 20 YEARS

Has led all WORM Remedies.

EVERY BOTTLE GUARANTEED.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Prepared by  
RICHARDSON & BROS., ST. LOUIS.

## OHIO RIVER DISASTER.

One Man Killed, Another Injured in a Coal Fleet Wreck.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 31.—The tow boat Harry Brown, while en route to the south with a large fleet of coal, ran aground at Glasshouse rifle, Brunot's island, at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. The pilot attempted to back into deeper water to release the fleet, when a heavy cable parted, the ends striking Jonathan Wood and a deckhand known as "Whitey." The latter was instantly killed and Wood was seriously, but not fatally, injured.

Two coal boats and one barge containing 60,000 bushels of coal are at the bottom of the river as a result of the accident and the channel is blocked. The sunken boats will be blown out with dynamite by the government. The loss will be very heavy.

The Beaver sunk a barge there Saturday night and lost 75,000 bushels of coal. It is estimated that some 25 or 28 sunken coal barges and fuel flats are sunk in this neighborhood, which is becoming dangerous to a degree and hazardous for pilots to handle large tows. The Ohio river, especially at Brunot and Merriman's, is in need of immediate government aid and a snagboat could be kept constantly in service at these points if an appropriation for the snagboat's support could be made.

## FUGITIVE HEARD FROM.

George W. McCammon Has Embarked For Foreign Lands.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Dec. 31.—Word from Mobile, Ala., states that George W. McCammon, who recently absconded from Farmersburg with \$5,000 of the Adams Express company's funds, has taken a shipping vessel out of that port, and is supposed to be now bound for a Mexican or South American landing.

Since McCammon's flight it develops that he also took with him \$250 which his aged parents had hoarded up to support them in their declining years. The absconder had persuaded them only a few days before his flight to take the money out of the bank and intrust it to his keeping. He also mortgaged the little home in which they lived for \$400, and carried off the proceeds. The parents are prostrated and their plight is pitiable.

## Insanity Due to Faith Cure.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Dec. 31.—Mike Maket and his sister, Ella Kranak, raving maniacs, and are now in jail awaiting the arrival of the Parke county sheriff, when they will be removed to that county. Their insanity is said to be the result of a visit to a "faith cure" doctor at Streator, Ills. The unfortunate people are Hungarians, and can scarcely speak a word of English. They are wild in their ravings, hallooing until they can be heard blocks away. Both refuse to touch food or water, and are so weak that they can scarcely stand.

## Death of a Newspaper Man.

NEW KIRK, O. T., Dec. 31.—George H. Apperson, formerly correspondent of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat and Chicago Times-Herald, died at the home of his father, here, yesterday, of heart failure. He was born at Mattoon, Ills., in 1859, and educated at the Bloomington (Ills.) Wesleyan university. He was resident correspondent at Washington for various dailies since 1887, and was manager of the bureau of election returns for the Chicago Herald in the fall of 1892.

GREENSBURG, Ind., Dec. 31.—Mrs. Julia Selby, aged 84, dropped dead yesterday of heart failure. She is a sister of Mrs. Hannah Lovett, mother of Hon. John W. Lovett of Anderson. She was wealthy and prominent.

## Fatal Fight at Church.

WASHINGTON, Ind., Dec. 31.—Sunday night while attending church near Ellettsville, this county, Cass Holt and William Lamb quarreled with Louis Doane, and Lamb shot Doane twice, one ball passing through his abdomen. Lamb and Holt made their escape. Both parties concerned are about 17. Doane is believed to be fatally wounded.

## School Children to Contribute.

BOSTON, Dec. 31.—The American Memorial Monument association put into shape for public presentation, the movement for a national monument to Dr. S. F. Smith, author of "America." The site of the monument will be in Boston or Washington. The children of American schools will be asked to contribute.

## Americans Guarding Corea's King.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 31.—A dispatch to The Novoe Vremya from Vladivostok says that the situation of affairs in Corea is most serious. The king is constantly surrounded by Japanese spies, and he fears that he will be assassinated. The dispatch adds that his majesty is guarded nightly by the American missionaries.

## Result of a Family Row.

BRISTOL, Tenn., Dec. 31.—In a family row at Grubbs town, near Wytheville, Va., Harvey Grubbs shot and killed his brother James, firing four shots into his body. The deceased and a sister were quarreling when Harvey Grubbs took it up for his sister. The deceased leaves a wife and two children.

## Protest Against a Parole.

YOUNG AMERICA, Ind., Dec. 31.—The residents of this village are not taking kindly to the proposed pardon of Bill Green, the murderer of Eunos Brumbaugh, now a life prisoner at Michigan City. It is alleged that when Green was taken he said that he wanted to live long enough to walk ankle-deep in the ashes of Young America. A protest will be filed with the governor against his parole.

## Russia and France Both With Us.

VIENNA, Dec. 31.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Neue Freie Presse telegraphs that Russia and France have actually promised diplomatic support of the United States in the Venezuelan trouble and he adds that Russia is prepared to facilitate the United States loan with her own gold reserve.

## Death of a Fire Chief.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Dec. 31.—Colonel Thomas L. Cluney, chief of the Jamestown fire department since the incorporation of the city, died yesterday, aged 57 years. Colonel Cluney enlisted as a private in Company A Forty-ninth New York volunteers. When mustered out at the end of the civil war he had reached the rank of colonel.

## His Life Spared.

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 31.—The government has commuted the sentence of death passed on Shortis, the Valley Field murderer, to imprisonment for life.

## Death of a Chilean Vice Consul.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—W. D. Catton, San Francisco manager for W. R. Grace & Company, and Chilean vice consul, died yesterday.

## Storm Off the Mexican Coast.

VEVA CRUZ, Dec. 31.—A strong north or commenced blowing at 2 o'clock yesterday morning. Many small crafts were wrecked and Orrins' theater and circus was blown completely down. The Ward line steamer was unable to enter port and put to sea again. The sea is very high.